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TENTATIVE TIMETABLE FOR THE WORK OF THE SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

Note by the Chairman

1. By a letter dated 20 September 1991 (A/SPC/46/1) the President of the General Assembly informed the Chairman of the Special Political Committee of the allocation of agenda items to the Special Political Committee.

2. The Chairman has prepared the following tentative timetable for the work of the Committee. The schedule will have to be interpreted with the necessary degree of flexibility. At the appropriate stage, the Committee will have to carry out the decisions of the General Assembly that organizations having a special interest in item 37 (Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa) would be permitted to be heard by the Special Political Committee.

3. It is suggested that the items be considered in the order set out below. The basic documents are listed under each item.

		Number of meetings	Dates
	Organizational meeting	1	7 October
Item 70 -	Effects of atomic radiation Report of the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation (UNSCEAR) (A/46/218)	2	9-10 October
Item 76 -	Question of the composition of the relevant organs of the United Nations	1	15 October

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Item 69 - Protection and security of small States (A/46/339)	3	15, 16-17 October
Item 75 - Questions relating to information	6	23-25 October
(a) Report of the Committee on Information (Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-sixth Session, Supplement No. 21 (A/46/21)) 1/		
(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/46/449) 1/		
item 74 - Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects	4	28-31 October
(a) Report of the Special Committee on Peace-keeping Operations (A/46/254)		
(b) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/46/169 and Add.1, A/46/185 and Corr.1)		
Item 71 - International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space	5	4-8 November
(a) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-sixth Session, Supplement No. 20 (A/46/20)) 1/		
(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/46/389) 1/		
Item 72 - United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East	4	15, 18-20 November
(a) Report of the Commissioner-General (Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-sixth Session, Supplement No. 13 (A/46/13 and Add.1)) 1/		

	Number of meetings	Dates
(b) Report of the United Nations Conciliation Commission for Palestine (A/46/373)		
(c) Report of the Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (A/46/...) 1/		
(d) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/46/..., 1/ A/46/..., 1/ A/46/..., 1/ A/46/..., 1/ A/46/399, A/46/..., 1/ A/46/..., 1/ A/46/..., 1/)		
Item 73 - Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories (A/46/65, A/46/282, A/46/..., 1/)	5	21, 22, 25-27 November
Reports of the Secretary-General (A/46/..., 1/ A/46/440, A/46/441, 1/ A/46/442, 1/ A/46/443, 1/ A/46/444, 1/ A/46/445 1/)		

Notes

1/ To be issued.